

# THE BOWDEN NEWS

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## Local News

Photo supplies at Perrin's.  
Mr Ed Shenfield was in Calgary Monday on business.

Mr and Mrs Jas Cornish went to Calgary on business.

Miss Beasie Brewster is visiting friends in Banff this week.

Mrs Geo Hawkins and son left on Wednesday for Calgary where they will in future reside.

Mr Bruce of Olds was in town on Wednesday repairing the phone in the central office here.

Bans were read in St Mathews Church on Sunday last for the marriage of Mr Dan Munroe to Miss Violet R Callender of Red Lodge.

## Bargains

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## The Sports Saturday

On Saturday next the postponed sports under the auspices of the Bowden Brass Band will be held. All arrangements have been made by the Sports Committee to pull off the sports successfully that big day. Besides the Crossfield-Bowden League game, Mayton and Grahamston districts will play a match on the diamond. At 10:30 the band will meet the Crossfield team at the station and escort them to the hotel after which the band will again assemble there and escort the four teams to the baseball park, where at 2:30 Crossfield and Bowden will play. These two teams played the closest game of this season in the Rosebud League last Tuesday at Crossfield and this match will be a good one. The other athletic events will be keenly contested if all the local boys enter who are talking about doing so now.

## Member Visits Bowden

The Honorable Duncan Marshall was in town on Tuesday and made a tour of the country west of here. His trip was one of inspection for the purpose of finding out where money granted each year by the Legislature, for improvements, should be most profitably spent. Messrs O E Chambelain and J I Brewster accompanied Mr Marshall on the trip. The residents of Red Lodge had petitioned the Honorable member for a new bridge across the Little Red Deer river on the road allowance directly west of here and Mr Marshall expressed himself in favor of the crossing. In the evening a visit was also made to the government drainage ditch southwest of Bowden. Mr Marshall was pressed for time and was forced to leave on the evening train but promised to return on another visit in the near future.

## Church Services

### PRESBYTERIAN

Presbyterian Church Services next Sunday will be held at Red Lodge at 11:30, Eagle Creek 3 p.m. Bowden 7:30. Subject for the evening will be "Ethics for every day

life". Miss Campbell will sing a solo "Where is my wandering boy to-night". You are cordially invited to attend. W M Chalmers, Pastor.

### METHODIST

The Bowden Camp of Modern Woodmen of America will attend Divine service in the Methodist Church this Sunday, June 4th at 3 o'clock. Neighbors meet in McCue's hall at 2:30 and march to the church. The Chaplain, Rev F E Davies will preach on "A neighbour's responsibility". Mrs Howard and Miss Jessie Shenfield will sing a duet. Mrs Davies and Mr Gumm will sing "Seeking the lost". The choir will render an anthem "Jerusalem, my glorious home," and Mrs Davies will sing "The Lost Chord". All are invited to attend this Service.

Sunday, June 11th. Special service in the Methodist Church at 7:30 this being the Pastors Anniversary. Mr Hunter will sing a solo. On the following Monday evening 12th, a social evening will be held in the Parsonage. Music and refreshments, 25 cents. Proceeds for church funds.

### CHURCH OF ENGLAND

English Church Services will be held every first and third Sunday of the month. Service 2.00. A McClain Banting, Rector.

Wall paper. Call at Perrin's and see beautiful samples.

There is music in the air celebrating the affair; when the day's longer. Edison Records, Perrin's.

### Betchton

Hawkin's sale was a great success.

Brooks Gray visited at Ball's Tuesday night.

Emma Gray is spending a couple of weeks with Mrs Scarf.

The boys are doing government work on the coulee east of here.

L Hawkins is spending a week or so with M Ball before leaving for Calgary.

Last Friday evening Betchton school was the scene of a very successful dance. The ball was given in honor of Mr Percy Turnbull and family and Mr George Hawkin's family, who leave Betchton district in a few weeks for Calgary where they will reside in future.

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### Nesbit

Mr W Bookless had the misfortune to lose a valuable colt last week.

Quite a number from this district attended Mr Hawkins' sale on Tuesday.

Mr Sannes and daughter, Cora, spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs Ball.

Several of the Nesbit young folks attended Messrs Hawkins' and Turnbull's farewell dance given in the Betchton schoolhouse on Friday night last and report a splendid time.

Everybody from here intends to turn out to see how brilliantly the Nesbit constellation will shine forth on the 3rd at Bowden as they are to play the Mayton team again on that date. We understand the game is to be played sometime during the forenoon and hope all the "Stars" will be out this time.

The "Stars" played the Mayton team at Mayton Saturday afternoon. The game resulted in a score 8-11 in favor of Mayton. The "Stars" were handicapped by two of their players failing to turn up. It is the writer's opinion that they played very well considering that they had practised less than half a dozen times. Quite a large crowd from in and around Mayton turned out to watch the game, also a few from here.

Weather Conditions Prevented the

## VICTORIA DAY SPORTS

At Bowden but they Will be Held on the

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## Suburban News

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If you want special advice write for it to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. It is free and always helpful.

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When it comes to the pinch there is something to be said for the lobster.

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# COCKSHUTT

#### Good Advice

A colored man was brought before a police judge charged with stealing chickens. He pleaded guilty and received sentence, when the judge asked how it was he managed to lift those chickens right under the window of the owner's house when there was a dog in the yard.

"Hit wouldn't be no use, Judge," said the man, "to try to 'plain dis thing to you' all. Ef you was to try it you like as not would get yer hide full of shot an' get no chickens, nuther. Ef yo' want to engage in any rascality, Judge, yo' better stick to de bench, whar yo' am familiar."

#### A Lucky Stop

Little Johnny, who had been praying for some months for God to send him a baby brother, finally became discouraged.

"I don't believe God has any more little boys to send," he told his mother, "and I'm going to stop asking for one."

Early one morning, not long after this, he was taken into his mother's room to see twin boys who had arrived in the night. Johnnie regarded them thoughtfully for some minutes. "Golly," he remarked finally, "it's a good thing I stopped praying when I did."

There is many a man who says things to his wife he wouldn't dare say to his cook.

## TRIED AT LAST WHEN OTHERS ALL FAILED

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#### He Got Them

He—What's a wooden wedding?  
She—It's when folks have been married five years and their friends give them presents.

He—They ought to give them a pension. What sort of presents do they give them?

She—Oh, they give them all sorts of wooden things—spoons and potato masher and rolling pins.

He—I got all those the first year I was married.

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#### In Line

An Irishman, who hadn't travelled much, stepped up to the ticket office in the Pennsylvania Station the other day to buy a ticket. Just ahead of him was a woman who said to the man inside:

"Elizabeth, New Jersey, single."

The Irishman, overhearing this, thought it was some new regulation and he said to the man when it came his turn:

"Mike Murphy, Chicago, married."

"Yes, I'm saving for a home."

"I can't save any money. How do you manage it?"

"By getting my wife to go without things. She thinks we're saving for an automobile."

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#### A Threat

A fat colored lady was a passenger on a street car and she had in her arms a baby which was nursing. When the conductor came by, the baby, fascinated by the shining buttons on his coat, dropped its "dinner" and stared at the conductor. This annoyed the colored mammy, and she said, in a scolding tone:

"Look yere, you Rastus, you'd better take your dinner, or I'll shore gib it to de conductor."

A sense of humor is useful to a man, but a sense of honor will get him much farther.

#### Perplexed

A New Yorker with a large family of children was called home from business the other day by the pleasant news that his wife had given birth to twins.

One of his little daughters met him at the door.

"Come in, papa!" she cried. "Come in and see the new baby!"—she stopped perplexed and added—"and—and the other one."

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We are glad to see that two of the buildings on Main street are receiving much needed coats of paint and the effect to the appearance of the street is very noticeable. Next Saturday is the town's holiday and it behoves all the residents to have their properties decorated with as many flags and as much bunting as possible. An effort of all the citizens should be made to clean up the front yards also

We wish to call the attention of the farmers of the dangerous practice of leaving gopher poison in such a way that dogs can get hold of it. A week or so ago Mr Joe Corsiato had a dog which he valued very highly poisoned in a rather mysterious way. Whether the animal got hold of gopher poison or not it is hard to say but Mr Corsiato is of the opinion that it was done maliciously. There is a heavy penalty for killing a dog in Alberta unless it proves dangerous and those who practise this mean system of revenge are leaving themselves liable to a heavy fine should they be apprehended and convicted

### The Monetary Times on the Oliver Case

One of the penalties of being Cabinet Minister is to suffer personal attack. Whether a man be pure or poisoned politically, he can never shake himself of the taunts of others' viciousness, jealousy and ambition. The Monetary Times has always been, and is, a non-partisan journal, fighting only for the principles in which it believes, and irrespective of politics. We feel the more regret, therefore, in seeing the name of the Honorable Frank Oliver, Minister of Interior, dragged into the mire of supposed scandal. We regard Mr Oliver as one of the strong men of the Dominion, a man who has actually hewed his way as a pioneer across the prairie and as a statesman through the labyrinth of politics. He will undoubtedly clear himself of the charges made against him.

There is a serious aspect of the Oliver incident which has not received due attention, and is the relation of a bank to its customers and in turn to curiosity mongers. A photograph is said to have been taken of a certain bank's ledger page showing part of Mr Oliver's bank account. If that photograph had really been obtained it would reflect little credit upon the institution guarding the account. The photograph was apparently faked in a clever although clumsy manner. So far as we can learn, a minor official of the bank which had Mr Oliver's account, was approached by a certain gentleman whom we need not name, with an offer of a substantial cash payment and a remunerative and permanent position elsewhere. The bank official, whose method of address is usually of the best, was so astounded at

the request that his reply may be recorded as a matter of history. The suppliant was told to "Go to hell."

The branch bank manager was informed as to what was happening in the meantime by some, up to the present, inexplicable manner, certain items of Mr Oliver's account had been seen, noted, and apparently copied upon ledger paper, then photographed. This was the photograph which Mr D R Wilkie, general manager of the Imperial Bank, stated in the most emphatic terms was not an exact photograph of Mr Oliver's account as had been stated. A comparison of the original with the spurious at once reveals this fact.

An investigation is to be held respecting the Oliver charges. No one desires that it shall be limited, except that it shall not pry into private affairs. It is not difficult to draw the line between a man's business and his private matters. Undoubtedly there will be an attempt to bring Mr Oliver's bank account into the limelight, to analyse it, trace the source and the destination of every debit and credit item, and generally to make public a document which concerns only the bank and its customer. This would be a dangerous precedent. The office boy, the business man, the industrial corporation, all consider their bank account a matter of the strictest privacy. Were it to become known that at the slightest show of caprice, envy or spitefulness on the part of enemies, one's bank account might be exposed to public gaze, the whole country would soon be banking their money in stockings, cellars and mattresses. Only when a man is absolutely proved to be criminal should his bank account be shown to others than bank officials and their customers. Even then, the greatest discretion should be observed. It is not a question as to whether or not a man's account is clean. Those who have the most honest accounts would be among the strongest objectors to publicity of their bank account figures.

### Calgary Fair Notes

A very interesting and novel feature which will be added to the American Day program on the afternoon of July 4th, will be a drill by the Arab Patrol of Al Kadee Temple A.A.O.N.M.S., Portland, Oregon. The members of this patrol will, with 250 other Shriners, be stopping over in Calgary on American Day, and after spending an hour or two sightseeing and being entertained to luncheon by the local Temple, will visit the fair grounds, and have very kindly consented to devote a half hour to entertaining the thousands who will be seated in the grandstand on that day. This is one of the most novel pieces of entertainment ever put on by a Canadian fair, and is sure to make a big hit.

The manager has just received word from Messrs B H Bull & Son of Brampton, Ont., the foremost breeders of Jersey in Canada, stating that it is the intention to bring out to the Calgary exhibition between 25 and 30 of their best Jerseys, having made an importation from Jersey Island for this purpose. The exhibit of Jerseys by Messrs Bull & Son has for several years been one of the features of the fair, and is always a special attraction to those interested in dairy stock. Last year they claimed that their sales at the fair were larger than the combined sales of all other breeds which would indicate that there will soon be a large number of Jerseys in Alberta.

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Author of

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(Continued.)

### CHAPTER XV.

Felix Zary

It would have been a comparatively easy matter for the two friends to have slipped out of the house before the cripple came down the stairs accompanied by the young man called Charles Evors. The front door was still open and there was no one to bar the way. Then it suddenly occurred to Gurdon that by so doing they would betray the secret of the moveable panel which communicated with the house next door.

"It would never do to go away like this," he said hurriedly. "Besides, it is more than likely that we shall want to use that entrance again. We shall have to run the risk of losing sight of the cripple; anything is better than leaving that panel open for the servants to discover in the morning."

Venner could see for himself at once that there was no help for it, so without further discussion on the matter the two men hurried down the stairs and then darted through the hole into the house next door. It was only the work of a moment to replace the panel, but hardly had they done so before they heard a confused murmur of voices on the other side. Gurdon pressed his back to the panel until the noise of the voices ceased.

"That was a pretty close call," he said. "Give me the mouldings and I will try to make them secure without any unnecessary noise. I daresay we can get the nails to fit the same holes. Anyway there must be no hammering, or we shall be pretty sure to rouse the suspicions of the people next door."

It was perhaps fortunate that the mouldings fitted so well, for Gurdon managed to work the nails into the original holes and complete a more or less workmanlike job to his own satisfaction.

"That's a good job well done," Venner said.

"Yes, but what do you do it for? In fact, what are you two gentlemen doing here at all?"

The voice came with a startling suddenness. It was an exceedingly clear, melodious voice, yet with a steely ring to it. The two friends wheeled round sharply to find themselves face to face with an exceedingly tall individual whose length was almost grotesquely added to by the amazing slimmness of his figure. In that respect he was not at all unlike the type of human skeleton which one expects to find in a travelling circus or some show of that kind. The man, moreover, was dressed in deep black, which added to his solemnity. He had an exceedingly long, melancholy face, on both sides of which hung a mass of oily-looking black hair; his nose, too, was long and thin, and a long drooping moustache concealed his mouth. On the whole his appearance was redeemed from the grotesque by an extraordinary pair of black eyes, which were round and large as those of a Persian cat. Despite the man's exceeding thinness, he conveyed a certain suggestion of strength. At that moment he had a handkerchief between his fingers, and Gurdon could see that his wrists were supple and pliable as if they had been made of India rubber. Gurdon had heard that sort of hands before described as conjurer's hands. As he looked at them he half expected to see the handkerchief disappear and an orange or something of that nature take its place. Then the stranger coolly walked across the hall and turned up another of the lights. He seemed to be perfectly at home and conveyed a curious impression to the visitors that he expected to find them there.

"I beg to remind you that you have not yet answered my question," he said. "What are you doing here?"

"Let me answer your question with another," Venner said. "Who are you and what may you be doing here?"

The man smiled in a peculiar fashion. His big black eyes seemed to radiate sparks; they were luminous and full of a vivid fury, though, at the same time the long horse-like face never for a moment lost its look of profound dejection. They might have been eyes gleaming behind a dull painted mask.

"We will come to that presently," he said. "For the moment the mention of my name must content you. It is just possible that you have heard the name of Felix Zary."

Venner and Gurdon fairly started. The name of Felix Zary was familiar to them, but only during the last three-quarters of an hour. In fact, that was the name of the man as to whose whereabouts Fenwick had been so anxious. Here was another element in the mystery, which, up to this moment, had not advanced very far towards solution.

"I have heard the name before," Venner said, "but only quite recently—within the last hour, in fact."

"Oh, yes," the stranger said, "I

know exactly what you mean. You probably heard it next door when you were listening so intently to the conversation between my friend Chas. Le Fenu the cripple, and that scoundrel who calls himself Fenwick. He is exceedingly anxious to know where I am, though without the slightest intention of benefitting me. And before long, his curiosity will be gratified, but not in the way he thinks."

The latter words came from the speaker's lips with a spitting hiss, such as a cat emits in the presence of a dog. The great round black eyes added intensity to the threat and rendered the feline simile complete. The prophecy boded ill for Fenwick when at length he and Felix Zary came face to face.

"I see my conjecture is quite right," the stranger went on. "And as to you gentlemen, I have asked your names merely as matter of courtesy. As a matter of fact, I know perfectly well who you are—you are Mr. Gerald Venner and Mr. James Gurdon. But there is one thing I don't know and that is why you have thrust yourselves into this diabolical business. You must be brave men, or absolutely unconscious of the terrible danger you are running. If either of you are friend of Fenwick—"

"Not for a moment," Venner cried. "You pay us a poor compliment indeed if you take us to be in any way friendly with that scoundrel."

"And yet you are here," Zary went on. "You are spying on the movements of my friend, Le Fenu. You have contrived to obtain possession of the keys of his house for no other purpose. Why?"

Venner paused before he answered the question. He did not recognize the right of this man to put him through a cross examination. Indeed, it seemed to him, the less he said the better. Perhaps Zary saw something of what was going on in his mind, for his big black eyes smiled, though the dejected visage remained the same.

"I see you do not trust me," he said. "Perhaps you are right to be cautious. Let me ask you another question, assuring you at the same time that I am the friend of Charles Le Fenu and his sisters, and that if necessary I will lay down my life to save them from trouble. Tell me. Mr. Venner, why are you so interested in saving the girl who passes for Fenwick's daughter from her miserable position? Tell me."

Zary came a step or two closer to Venner and looked down into his eyes with a searching yearning expression in those magnetic black eyes. The appeal to Venner was irresistible. The truth rose to his lips; it refused to be kept back.

"Because," he said slowly, "because she is my wife."

A great sigh of relief came from Zary.

"I am glad of that," he said. "Extremely glad. And yet I had suspected something of the kind. It is good for me to know that I am with friends, and that you two are only actuated by the best motives. For some days now I have had you under close observation. I followed you here to-night; indeed, I was in the house when you removed those panels. As a matter of fact, Mr. Gurdon's first involuntary visit here absolutely ruined a carefully laid plan of mine for getting Mark Fenwick into my hands. But I will tell you later on all about the mystery of the furnished dining-room and how and why the furniture vanished so strangely. When I followed you here to-night I was quite prepared to shoot you both if necessary, but some strange impulse came over me to speak to you and ask you what you were doing. I am rather glad I did, because I should not like to have a tragedy on my hands. Now would you like to come with me as far as my own rooms, where I shall be in a position to throw a little light upon a dark place or two?"

Venner and Gurdon clutched eagerly at the suggestion. Without further words they passed into the street and would have walked down the steps had not Zary detained them.

"One moment," he whispered. "Hang back in the shadow of the portico. Don't you see that there are two or three men on the steps of the house next door. Ah, I can hear the voice of that scoundrel Fenwick. If only he knew how close to him I am at the present moment! But let us listen—we may hear something useful."

It was very quiet in the Square for the hour was late, and the voices from the portico came clear and distinct to the listeners' ears.

"What is the good of it?" one of the voices said. "Why on earth can't you wait till morning? Le Fenu has got clear away, and there isn't much chance of catching him again in a hurry. It was one of the coolest things I've seen for a long time."

"Oh, he doesn't lack brains, or pluck either," Fenwick said. "I should have been proud of a trick like that myself. I ought to have poisoned him when I had the chance. I ought to have got him out of the way without delay. But it seemed such a safe thing to kidnap him and hide him in his own house, where we could go on with our work without the least danger or interruption from those accursed police. And then, when fate played into our hands and we got hold of Evors as well, it looked as if everything was going our way. How you fools ever contrived to let him get the upper hand of you is more than I can understand."

"It was Jones' fault," another voice growled. "He forgot the drug and we ran clean out of it. Then, I suppose, we got interested over a game of cards, and one way and another,

Evors managed to get six or seven hours sleep without having any of that stuff inside him. Bless me, if it wasn't all like a dream, guv'nor. There we were interested in our cards and before we knew where we were our heads were banged together, and I was lying on the floor thinking that the end of the world had come. That fellow has the strength of the very devil himself."

"Poor, weak creature," Fenwick sneered.

"Weak-minded perhaps, and easily led," the first speaker said. "But there is not much the matter with him when it comes to fists."

"We can't stop chattering here all night," Fenwick said. "It is all very well for you men, who don't care so long as you have got something to eat and drink. You would be quite satisfied to sit like a lot of hogs in Le Fenu's house, but he'll certainly be back in the morning with some internal scheme or other for getting the best of us. Don't you see it is impossible for me any longer to play the part of tenant of a furnished house, now that the owner of the house is at large again? It is a very fortunate thing in a way, too, that I can pass all you people off as my servants. Now get away at once and do as I tell you. As for me, I am going to take a cab as far as the old place by the side of the river. In an hour's time I hope to be on my way to Canterbury. Now, are you quite sure you all know what to do? It's con'quendly awkward to have one's plans upset like this, but a clever man always has an alternative scheme on hand and I've got mine. There, that will do. Be off at once."

"That's all very well, guv'nor," another voice said. "It is easy enough to put the front door on the latch and turn out of the crib, leaving it empty, but what about the girl in the white dress? I ain't very scrupulous as a rule, but it seems rather cruel to leave the poor kid behind and she not more than half right in her head."

"Devil fly away with the girl," Fenwick said passionately. "We can pick her up at any time we want to. Besides, I think I can see a way to arrange for her and a method of getting her out of the house within the next hour. It was no bad thing for men who get their living as we do when some genius invented motor cars. Now do go along or we shall never finish."

(To be continued.)

#### Skinning a Sea Otter.

A full grown sea otter is from four to five feet long and perhaps a foot or more wide. When a hunter secures one he loosens the hide from the nose and head, and without cutting it lengthwise at all he pulls the skin down over the body, the hide being so elastic that this is not a difficult job. It is then stretched over a smooth board six and a half feet long, nine inches wide at one end and ten at the other end. Each end of this board is tapered to a point. Another board exactly the same size is then inserted, and the skin is stretched a foot or eighteen inches longer than its original length. A third board half the length of the other is wedged in and the skin lightly tacked at the ends to hold it in place. If any flesh adheres to the skin it is then cut off, and the hide is cured and dried in this condition. In a few days it is taken off the boards and turned fur side out, when it is ready for market.

#### Birthdays in Sweden.

In this country children, however much they may enjoy birthday celebrations and gifts, are quite content to have them once a year, but the fortunate children of Sweden have three birthdays in the course of every twelve months. First and most important is the real birthday, but the other two are also occasions for festivity and the presentation of small gifts. These two days are those whose names the Swedish boy or girl bears. For every day in the Swedish calendar has its own special name, besides the weekly name which it bears like the days of other countries. To Americans ears a statement such as that made by a little Swedish girl who was asked as to the date of her birthday, "The 15th of March, 22d of May and 19th of November," has at first a decidedly strange sound.—Harper's.

#### The Centipede in China.

An exceedingly poisonous variety of centipede is found throughout China in great numbers under old buildings or old logs. The bite is extremely painful and in children sometimes fatal.

#### The Snow Leopard.

In the highlands of central Asia lives the snow leopard, which never descends below the snow line of the mountains. Its color is a gray, inclining to buff. A few large dark spots show about the lower parts and a number of smaller ones congregate about the head and the neck. The back and the sides are marked with faded looking brown rings or rosettes. The comparatively enormous tail of the animal is fully as long as its body.

#### The Kangaroo.

Kangaroos are gradually disappearing from Australia. Now the number is only about one-tenth of what it was thirty years ago.

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#### She'd Been in Europe

"I'm afraid the ship might run into an iceberg."

"That danger, auntie, is very remote."

"Well, give the captain a dollar, anyhow, and then he'll be extra careful."

#### It Can't Be Done

It is perfectly clear why the hobble skirt has been barred from court functions in England. Imagine a lady in one of 'em making one of those bows where you sit down on your heel!—Louisville Courier-Journal.

#### Keep Minard's Liniment in the house

#### Easy Drawing

Tommy had drawn the picture of a locomotive on his slate and his father asked him why he didn't draw the cars too.

"Oh," answered Tommy, "the locomotive can draw them."

#### A Pill for Brain Workers.

The man who works with his brains is more liable to derangement of the digestive system than the man who works with his muscles, because the one calls upon his nervous energy while the other applies only his muscular strength. Brain fog beggars, irregularities of the stomach and liver, and the best remedy that can be used is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills. They are specially compounded for such cases and all those who use them can certify to their superior power.

Upgardson—You are going on a journey next week without any idea where you will stop or how long you will be away? That sounds crazy.

Atom—I know it; I'm going to take a trip on the water wagon.

#### Veterans' Re-Union Postponed

Owing to the President and Commanders of the Veterans' Brigade being away, and that many veterans and officers are attending the Coronation, the proposed Re-Union of Veterans in July has been postponed.

"What can we do to make up for the evil we think of others?"

"Well, I've given away thousands of dollars in my mind."

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Editor—But where is the joke in this comic?

Comic Artist—Oh, that comes in if you buy it.—Scribner's Magazine.

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Farmer (interrupting)—Then beat it, durn ye beat it!

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## THE TREATY WITH JAPAN

### TERMS OF NEW TREATY NOT ACCEPTABLE TO CANADA

**Government Decides That It Would Be Better to Allow Present Agreement to Run for a Couple of Years More and Then Make a New One—Question of Free Imports to United Kingdom.**

Ottawa.—That the terms of the new treaty between Great Britain and Japan are not suitable to Canadian conditions and that this is the chief reason why Canada declined to adhere to the treaty, is made clear in a return tabled which sets forth the reasons why Canada proposes to continue the existing treaty with Japan for a couple of years in order that it may have an opportunity to make one of its own with the Mikado's empire.

The return shows that since the announcement of the new pact between Great Britain and Japan, T. Nakamura, Japanese consul general at Ottawa, took up with Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his colleagues the question of the advisability of a Canadian treaty.

The reasons for declining to take this step are set forth in a letter addressed by Hon. S. Fielding to the Japanese consul general, in which the Canadian minister says he had observed that the terms and conditions of the treaty do not seem to be in their entirety satisfactory to circumstances of Canada and that in consequence Canadian ministers had some hesitation in advising that immediate adherence to its terms which the Japanese government desires.

Mr. Fielding then proceeds to point out that article 8 of the treaty provides that articles the product of manufacture of the United Kingdom shall not on importation to Japan be subjected to higher custom duties than those specified in schedules attached, also that articles the product of manufacture of Japan shall be free of duty on importation into the United Kingdom.

Mr. Fielding goes on to say that there might be a question in the event of Canada giving adherence to the treaty this schedule would become applicable to Canada. He proceeds: "Granting, however, that it would so apply on examination of details shown that while no doubt well adapted to conditions of trade between Great Britain and Japan, the schedule is not wholly suited to commercial interchange between Japan and Canada."

"Part I., of schedules of example which contains a list of products upon which maximum duties are fixed does not include many products in export of which Canada is largely interested and on the other hand Part II. of the schedule containing a list of Japanese products to which Great Britain agrees to give admission free of duty includes silk and other articles which are dutiable on importation into Canada, although free of customs duty in Great Britain."

"In view of these circumstances," Mr. Fielding intimates, "if a commercial agreement is to be made to suit those conditions it will probably have to be by means of a separate treaty."

Mr. Fielding then states that Canada proposes to avail itself of the clause of new agreement between Great Britain and Japan which provides that in the event of Canada not desiring to adhere to the new treaty a temporary agreement can be made pending forming of a new treaty."

### Prince San Chi Defies Police

Shanghai.—According to a custom in China the members of the Imperial Family are above the law. Prince San-Chi has been doing just as he likes recently, fortified with this immunity. It is said that there is not a hygienic law that this interesting person has not broken. In fact, his great recreation seems to have been to defy the police. At length to the endurance of the police there came a limit, and on representations being made to the Minister of the Interior, that official brought the matter under the notice of the Regent, who has not only abolished the "convention," but the Prince's recreations also, and has given instructions that in future he must act as an ordinary citizen, or stand the consequences.

### Arbitration Treaties Drafted

Washington, D.C.—The draft of an arbitration treaty was submitted to the British and French governments through their ambassadors here as a basis for negotiating permanent treaties on general lines. Questions of honor and vital interest are to be the subject of arbitration. The Hague tribunal will decide the issues.

Questions which both parties agree are not justifiable are to be referred to special commissions to devise a means of settlement. Agreements are to be submitted to the United States senate for ratification. The remainder of the treaty provides the necessary machinery for arbitration.

### Working for a Real Settlement

Winnipeg.—C. W. Gordon, looking into the coal miner's trouble, has returned here and is pessimistic regarding the aspect of settlement. He says that the board could have patched up a temporary agreement but that had been done before and what was wanted was a settlement that would last some years. The inquiry would be resumed in three weeks and continued until the men went back to work.

### GUARANTEE FOR SECURITIES

#### Government Assistance for 150 Miles of Roads to Coal Mines

Ottawa, Ont.—Hon. W. S. Fielding gives notice of the following resolution to be considered when the house resumes in July:

To amend chapter six of the act of 1910, the Canadian Northern Alberta Railway Act, under which the governor-general-in-council was authorized to aid and assist the construction of a line of railway from a point at or near Edmonton or Strathcona, thence in a generally southwesterly direction to the coal areas situated at or near Brazeau river and the head-quarters of the McLeod river for a distance of 150 miles, such aid and assistance being thereby authorized to be given in the form of guarantee with the Dominion as guarantee of principal and interest of securities of the company to the extent of \$13,000 per mile, for the first 50 miles, and to the extent of \$25,000 for the remaining 100 miles of the line to be aided, by substituting in the said act for the lines so authorized to aid the following described line of railway which the company by its charter is empowered to construct, namely: "A line of railway of the Canadian Northern Alberta Railway company from a point at or near Edmonton or St. Albert, Alberta, thence in a generally westerly direction to the coal areas situated on the company's authorized line at or near Brule Lake in Jasper Park. And to provide that such aid and assistance may be granted the line by these resolutions proposed to be substituted in the said act for the line therein described."

A second clause provided that the securities guaranteed shall be secured by a deed of trust by way of a mortgage or charge approved by the governor-in-council, and that such deeds of trust will grant a first mortgage upon 150 miles of railway and its property.

### JEWS FLOCK TO AMERICA

#### They Will Come to This Country When the Panama Canal is Opened

Los Angeles.—Tens of thousands of Jews will immigrate direct to California on steamers from Europe following the opening of the Panama canal, and the bulk will land in San Francisco, according to Dr. Louis Meyer, of New York, associate editor of the *Missionary Review of the World*, and authority on the Jewish missionary and immigration situation. Dr. Meyer, who is the guest of Lyman Stewart, president of the Union Oil company, discussed the subject before the Federation club and the Bible institute.

"The Jews, who will come principally from Russia," he said, "will form a valuable addition to this country's population. If properly taken care of they will become fine citizens. The Jews of San Francisco are already preparing for the great influx."

"It will surprise many Americans to know that the Jewish is from 10 to 13 per cent. of all the immigration into this country. Only the Italians come in greater numbers. Now 73 per cent. of the Jewish immigration is from Russia and 63 per cent. settles in New York."

### TREATY FOR PEACE IN ORDER

#### Is Now Ready to Be Presented to the British Government for Approval

Washington, D. C.—The proposed treaty of arbitration between the United States and Great Britain upon which rests the hope of the English-speaking peoples for a permanent peace between the two great nations, and which probably will be a model for peace pacts with other nations, has at last reached the stage where it is to be presented to the British government for its approval.

The state department has been constantly at work upon the treaty, and recently Secretary Knox presented a tentative draft to the cabinet. Apparently it was most satisfactory to the president and his official family as a whole.

Secretary Knox, after the cabinet meeting, announced that the tentative draft would be submitted to Ambassador Bryce for transmission to the British foreign office. Exchanging of notes between the two nations will follow. When the final draft is accepted by both countries the completed treaty will be signed and submitted to the United States senate for approval and ratification.

### Alberta and Kootenay Show Activity

Calgary.—The activity of the Alberta and Kootenay railway in the Pincher Creek district is shown by an application which will be before Mr. Justice Scott for expropriation proceedings in that district. The company is asking to expropriate property belonging to G. W. Buchanan, Hanson and Stewart, M. Becker and Russell Main in the Pincher Creek district. The railway is building from Pincher Creek to some mine property fifteen miles from the town. The gentlemen in question will be represented by R. B. Bennett.

### China Thanks Canada

Ottawa.—A telegram from the chairman of the Chinese famine committee at Shanghai has reached the department of external affairs, stating that he has been requested by the viceroy of Nanking to thank the Canadian people for relief already sent and expressing the committee's desire to receive another \$50,000 if possible.

## MIGHT BENEFIT GREAT BRITAIN

### THE UNITED KINGDOM AND CANADA'S TARIFF CHANGES

Views Expressed in the British House of Lords on the Reciprocity Treaty—Canada Within Her Statutory Rights in Making Agreement, and the Mother Country Cannot Interfere.

London.—In the House of Lords Earl Selborne directed the attention to the probable effect of reciprocity on Canadians' birthright. He said that it was but right that they should work out their own salvation, but "when the action of one part of the empire affected the United Kingdom we had a right, indeed it was their responsibility, to consider the question." President Taft's speeches had shown a complete misapprehension as to the ideas of tariff reformers and imperial preferentialists. There was no part of their policy to establish a Chinese wall in any part of the empire. He advocated preference first within the empire and afterwards each part could make its own arrangements.

Ratification of the agreement, the Earl concluded, would place this country in a position of extraordinary difficulty.

Lord Lucas, parliamentary under-secretary to the war office, replying for the government, said the Earl of Selborne greatly over-estimated the damage to the trade of the United Kingdom and the difficulties that might arise from the reciprocity agreement. Canada was perfectly within her statutory rights and the government could not interfere. The United Kingdom never could offer Canada the same advantages as could the United States, and must give Canada a fair field for promoting her own prosperity as she thought best.

War Secretary Haldane, who recently was elected to the peerage, said it was the policy of the government to give the people of Canada every facility to do the best they could for themselves. The government held that it was not to the disadvantage of the United Kingdom that Canada should develop trade conditions with the United States.

"We hold," continued the secretary, "that Canada, with a great trade of this kind, cannot fail to be a more prosperous Canada, affording a better market for our goods and able to do more trade with ourselves. Therefore, from every point of view, we look upon the step in our interests, as well as in the interests of Canada. It is not for us to interfere in her policies. We do not think it a good thing to attempt to guide or influence the policy of our great Dominions in the matters of trade. We are free traders and we intend to remain free traders."

### The Great West Express

Winnipeg.—Beginning on June 4, the prairie country will have a brand new train. It will be known as the Great West Express and will run from Winnipeg to Edmonton, over the line of the Canadian Pacific through Saskatoon.

The train, for which preparations have been in progress for several years, will leave Winnipeg every night at 10:15. It will reach Saskatoon the following day at 3:35 p.m., and will arrive at Strathcona at 6:30 a.m. The running time between the two cities will thus be 32 hours and 15 minutes. Returning the train will leave Strathcona every night at 10 o'clock, will reach Saskatoon at 11:15 the next forenoon, and will arrive in Winnipeg at 6:45 a.m. of the following day. This train will run by way of Yorkton in accordance with the plans adopted some time ago.

### U.S. Senate May Kill Reciprocity

Washington, D. C.—The fond hope of President Taft and the reciprocity advocates in both parties, that the Canadian reciprocity bill will be favorably reported to the senate by the finance committee, has been shattered.

Furthermore, there is reason to believe that their secondary desire, that, if it cannot be favorably reported, it may at least not come out of the committee with an unfavorable vote, will not be realized either, unless there is a marked and unlikely change in the sentiments of the committee. The bill, therefore, begins its career in the open senate with the unusual handicap of an adverse report. Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, said emphatically that he would demand that the committee vote, as a majority of the committee are undoubtedly against the pact.

### Doukhobors Buy Nelson Fruit Ranch

Nelson, B. C.—Seventy acres of the eighty acre Annable ranch at Shore Acres, has just been sold for \$28,500, or over \$400 an acre. This is said to be the highest price ever paid for a Kootenay ranch. Fifty acres have been bought by the Doukhobor society and the remaining twenty acres by W. A. Clegg and Frank M. Green of Coleman. The remaining ten acres Mr. Annable reserves as a ranch for himself. Mr. Annable paid \$17,500 an acre for the land a few years ago.

### Diaz to Resign May 24

Mexico City.—It is semi-officially stated that the retirement of Diaz from the presidency will take place May 24 or 25. Vice-President Corral's resignation will be sent by cable, and will be attested by the Mexican minister in Spain.

### BRITISH IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

#### It Is Said Its Establishment Would Cause a Constitutional Revolution

London.—The Morning Post says: "Every state, primitive or modern, has rested on the principle that the units composing it shall acknowledge the obligation of mutual preference, and until this truism is acknowledged by the parent state of the empire, the sessions of the Imperial conference might as well be suspended."

The Standard says: "If the home government meet the overseas premiers in conference with the pleas of non possumus as in 1907, it would stand self-condemned and self-condemned as having betrayed the great Imperial interests entrusted to its keeping."

The Daily News, discussing the forthcoming Imperial conference, says: "The Imperial council of state, composed of representatives of all parts of the Empire, as proposed by New Zealand, could not be reconciled with cabinet government and parliamentary control either here or in the overseas dominions. Its establishment would cause a constitutional revolution in every state of the Empire."

### FIERCE FIGHT WITH PIRATES

#### Engineer Was Captured by the Pirates and Held for Ransom

Victoria, B. C.—Many thrilling incidents connected with the wreck of the Pacific mail liner Asia, at Finger Rock, on April 25, were recounted by arrivals by the steamer Chicago, which reached port from the Orient recently.

Timothy F. Healy, a San Francisco newspaper man, said that a big fleet of Chinese junks descended on the wreck and only a constant fusilade of revolver shots prevented the pirates interfering with the landing of the survivors.

Captain Gaukroger, with others who remained on the wreck, were engaged all night in a regular battle with the Chinese pirates, who rushed the wreck and boarded it despite the revolver fire.

The last boat to leave the wreck was captured by the pirates, in it were A. J. Cozens, a first assistant engineer; Arthur Arundel, boiler tender; three Chinese and one Japanese seamen and some mail. Cozens made a deal to be taken off the American barque and promised a reward of \$300. The Chinese consented, secured his money and put back on the wreck.

### KNOCKS WESTERN CANADA

#### Governor Osborne Says Canadian Northwest Cannot Compete with U. S.

Washington.—Reciprocity advocates are wondering what Canadians are thinking of the arguments advanced recently by Governor Osborne, of Michigan, who insisted that Saskatchewan and the Canadian northwest cannot compete at all with the United States northwest.

"The Canadians," he said, "cannot raise crops in rotation. They are far from the sources of fuel, and I have seen stock go through the winter eating snow, and I have also seen stock and people drinking alkali water. I have seen lots of people go out north of Moose Jaw, make lots of money, and then come back to the States. My opinion is that after a time they will all return because they will find the country almost uninhabitable. I would not live in the northwest of Canada for ten years for the whole of Canada."

Senator McCumber here interrupted: "Yet many of our people are going into God-forsaken Saskatchewan and raise about twice as much as we do, and are crying to others to come along."

### To Curb the Trusts

Washington, D. C.—As indicating the possible effect on legislation of the supreme court on the Standard Oil decision, three bills were introduced in the senate, one by Senator Jones, of Washington, Republican, and the other two by Senators Culbertson, of Texas, and Reid, of Missouri, both Democrats, all look to the amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law, to include all combinations in restraint of trade, regardless of the reasonableness or unreasonableness, and all are suggested that the committee vote, as a majority of the committee are undoubtedly against the pact.

### Reason the Dominion Objected

Ottawa.—Because the tariff arrangements in the new Anglo-Japanese treaty are not satisfactory to Canada, and a treaty between this country and the land of the Mikado would be more satisfactory, is the reason the Dominion registered a strenuous objection to its enactment, according to a report in the commons.

### City Council Offers Grant

Lethbridge, Alta.—Lethbridge city council has agreed to give \$6,000 towards the expenses of the international dry farming congress should it be held here in 1912.

### Big Rush to Canada

Amsterdam.—As a consequence of the growing popularity of emigration to Canada several steamship lines are reported to be altering their services accordingly.

## THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

### LESSON IX.—SECOND QUARTER, FOR MAY 28, 1911

Text of the Lesson, Mic. iv, 1-8—Memory Verses, 2, 3—Golden Text, Mic. iv, 3—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Our golden text and its context, which tells of a time when nations shall learn war no more, is found also in Isa. ii, 1-4. The same glorious assurance is found in Ps. xvi, 9, "He maketh wars to cease unto the end of the earth." It is written in a different form in Isa. xxxii, 1-17, "A king shall reign in righteousness, and the work of righteousness shall be peace."

In Ps. lxxii, 11, we read that "all kings shall fall down before Him; all nations shall serve Him." In Rev. xi, 15, we are told of the time when "the kingdoms of this world shall have become the kingdom of our Lord and of His Christ." It would be well if teachers and scholars would search out the many passages which tell of this kingdom of peace on earth when the Lord shall come in His glory and occupy the throne of David at Jerusalem, ruling in the midst of Israel, and also as King of kings and Lord of lords—King over all the earth.

I will suggest a few passages which will lead to many more—if any one is willing to search: Isa. ix, 6, 7; Luke i, 31, 32; Zeph. iii, 14, 15; Zech. xiv, 9; Jer. iii, 17; Dan. vii, 27; Ezek. xliii, 7.

Not by the armies of the nations, nor by peace conferences, nor by the church, nor by missions, shall this be brought about; nor in this present age of the world's history, but only by Him concerning whom it is written, "I will overturn, overturn, overturn it until He come whose right it is, and I will give it Him" (Ezek. xxii, 27).

Not by any nation now existing as such on the face of the earth will He bring peace on earth, but by Israel, soon to be restored and recognized as a nation and to be converted as a nation when they shall see Him coming in glory and shall receive Him as their Messiah. Isaiah's message had special reference to Judah and Jerusalem. Micah's to Samaria and Jerusalem (Isa. i, 1; Mic. i, 1). The words Israel, Zion, Jerusalem, must always be taken in their plain literal sense unless there is some qualifying phrase or adjective indicating differently. The Zion and Jerusalem of Mic. iii, 12, are the same as the Zion of Mic. iv, 7. It has been overthrown many times; it shall as truly and literally become the throne of the Lord, which He shall build up when He comes in His glory (Ps. cii, 16).

In those days when the glory of the Lord shall be seen in Israel nations shall flow to her as literally as the queen of Sheba and the kings of the earth came to Solomon, or as the wise men from the east brought their treasures to the King of Jews when He was but a babe in Bethlehem (II Chron. ix, 9, 22-



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Conceit is in its full flower when we begin to believe all the compliments paid us.

So long, however, as we unassumingly deprecate the compliments, others pronounce us properly modest. Once we agree we are classed as conceited.

The conceited ass, however, is one who pays himself compliments and wants others to believe them.

**The Barber's Best Job**  
What was the best job you ever did?" inquired the first barber.

"I once shaved a man," replied the second barber.

"Go on."

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"What then?"

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### ARE NOT AGGRESSIVE.

**Japanese Character Is Not Really Understood by Occidentals.**

Occidental people do not understand the Japanese character, according to Prof. Yaichi Haga; and especially is this misunderstanding evidenced in regard to the "yellow peril" bogey. Writes Prof. Haga in the Oriental Review:

"The valor and strength of the nation was observed in the Chino-Japanese war, during the Boxer trouble and in the recent Russo-Japanese war, with the conclusion that we are a war-like people, literally eager for fighting. The fear was openly expressed that the Japanese might seek to invade Europe, and that the white people might be overwhelmed by the yellow race as they were once by the armies of Genghis Khan. But this is a mere apprehension and race antagonism is the genesis of it."

"There is no doubt that we have been a nation of military valor from of old, as it is well known that there was bushido or code of soldier's morals under our feudal regime, and that Japan of to-day still remembers the time of military rule, abolished only forty years ago, is also an undeniable fact, but notwithstanding all this we have never been aggressive warriors throughout our long history."

"We display our valor only from the necessity of self-protection. We are defensive, not offensive. We never draw sword without first being attacked. The feudal samurai exercised the utmost care not to give a blow for light cause. Our sword is a defensive weapon, not an instrument of murder."

"When a new blade was forged for samurai it was an old custom to celebrate the acquisition of this family treasure with the eating of a kind of bean dish, the idea suggested being that the sword might never be used for cutting just as the bean dish required no knife. Only when a gentleman's honor was at stake would he fearlessly chastise the offender."

"This is the soul of bushido. In our plays those who attack on slight provocation are not honorable, the true samurai resorting to his sword only from sheer necessity. Wanton massacre of captives is unheard of. To win them through kindness and to bring about their voluntary obedience has been the traditional policy of Japan."

### A Powerful New Poison.

A new poison has been discovered in the innocent castor plant which adorns so many gardens that is more powerful than any other known to affect living matter. The seeds of the plant are macerated in a solution of sodium chloride and the poison extracted in an impure form. One gram of this "racinus" is sufficient to kill 500,000 guinea pigs, according to the estimates of Prof. Elrich, of Frankfort-on-Main, but the peculiar feature of it is that animal which is dosed with a quantity insufficient to cause death can thereafter take larger and larger quantities until the quantity is increased 10,000 fold. This can be done to a certain extent with arsenic and strichnine, but with these the largest possible dose is not much greater than the death dose. Moreover the blood of a poisoned animal may be made into a most effective antitoxin and if the toxin is injected into a freshly-poisoned animal it will prevent illness, or in the case of one that already shows the effects of the poison it will completely cure it.

### Nativity of Foods.

It is surprising from whence come the most common articles of food. The onion, leek, garlic and pea were favorite in Egypt, rye and parsley in Siberia, the citron and currants in Greece, and radishes hail from China and Japan. The horse chestnut is a native of Tibet, the Forbidden Land, and the mulberry tree, walnut and peach traveled westward from Persia. Very few consider that oats originated in North Africa at a time when Egypt was the granary of the world. The chestnut came from Italy, celery from Germany, spinach from Arabia, the sunflower from Peru and cucumber from India. Tobacco is a native of Virginia.

### Unchanged.

"Do you act toward your wife as you did before you married her?"

"Exactly. I remember just how I used to act when I first fell in love with her. I used to hang over the fence in front of her house and gaze at her shadow on the curtain, afraid to go in. And I act just the same way now when I get home late."

### Merely an Accessory.

"What's this I hear about the wedding? Some say the bridegroom didn't show up until very late."

"It wasn't his fault. He was there, but he wasn't conspicuous. He got elbowed into a corner behind some palms."

### True Philosopher.

"Well, sir, lightnin' set his house afire, a airthquake swallowed half his land, an' then the river riz an' overflowed the whole business!"

"Well, what's he a-doin' of now?"

"Thankin' the Lord that he kin swim!"

### Out in the Garden.

"What is it, do you suppose, that keeps the moon in place and prevents it from falling?" asked Araminta.

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FOR INFORMATION that will lead to the recovery of the following animals; One small black mare due to foal May 8th; white spot on forehead and white spot on end of nose; had a bell on when last seen; branded N. on left shoulder; indistinct brand on right shoulder. One small bay yearling filly four white feet, stripe on forehead and white spot on nose; branded ME on right hip. Address information to Mrs M. E. Hartley, Innisfail.

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Duties.—\$12 months residence upon and during which time he must cultivate 30 acres of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres soley owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader if good standing may pre-empt a quarter section alongside his homestead. Price 3.00 per acre.

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**Bowden Defeats Crossfield 5-3**

At Crossfield on Tuesday evening before a good turnout Bowden kept up their 1000 per cent in the Rosebud League by defeating the southern town 5-3. The game was called at 7:00 p.m.; one hour and 35 minutes was the time spent in doing the trick. The scores indicate that the game was close which was the case and at all times was marked by good baseball. McBroom was in the box for the locals Sannes doing the receiving. Out of the 27 men who faced McBroom, 15 were struck out and only two hits were recorded against him.

The work of Sannes behind the bat was also deserving of much credit. Only one ball got by him during the game while he kept the opposing base runners close to the sacks at all times by his good throwing.

The Crossfield pitcher, Brown, did good work but lacked support by his team mates at critical times in the out field; four errors in left field were responsible for Bowden's runs. The boys found Brown easy to hit but Crossfield infield fielded well giving their pitcher good support. Only seven men were struck out by Brown.

Against Bowden there was marked down five errors, one costing two runs.

Crossfield drew the first blood by sending a man home in the first innings. This was the only run they secured until the 8th when they sent two men home on a wild throw to first after first and second bases had been filled. The side was then retired and did no more scoring during the rest of the game.

Bowden scored Culver in the second inning and Prowse in the third while in the fifth Culver and Sannes again crossed the plates. Until the ninth no more runs were scored by Bowden when McKim went home on the throw of a long fly, hit by Cornish to the right fielder. This brought Bowden tally up to five runs; Crossfield having three. Dr A E Shore gave the best of satisfaction to both teams as umpire. The following was the runs scored by each team; Bowden Culver 2, Prowse 1, Sannes 1, McKim 1, Crossfield; McLaren 1; Urquhart 1; Landburg 1.

Score by innings:

Bowden	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	1
Crossfield	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3

**Innisfail Won**

Last Saturday Diamond Park was the scene of one of the most exciting games of baseball that has ever been played there. Innisfail and Bowden met in combat and all through the game the fans were keyed to the highest notch of excitement. The visitors were a good deal stronger than at any time this season and played good ball. Erickson was in the box for Innisfail and was hit pretty hard although most of the hits were fielded in the diamond. Cornish twirled for the home team and pitched a good steady game but received poor support by the rest of his team mates. On the Bowden side the game was a comedy of errors, every player in the team having one or more chalked up against him.

The visitors started the fire works off in the first inning when they sent one man over the plate. They also scored 3 in the fourth, 2 in the fifth, and 1 in the sixth. At the sixth inning Bowden scored a run the score then standing 7-2. In their half of the 7 Bowden sent five men home tying the score. Innisfail then ran in 2 scores in the 8th and two in the ninth bringing their tally up to 11 runs. Bowden in the ninth, run in three runs before they were retired by Innisfail. The score then stood 11 to 10. During the 7th and 9th innings the crowd nearly went mad over the game. Score by innings:

Innisfail	1	0	0	3	2	1	0	2	2-11
Bowden	1	0	0	0	1	5	0	3	10

The GI is Base-ball team defeated Didsbury at Olds on Friday evening last. The game was a very poor exhibition of baseball as the score 15-5 indicates. Only six innings were played. A number from here drove down to see the game and announce that in their opinion Olds have not as strong a team as they had last year. The clubs in the Rosebud League now stand as follows.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
<b>BOWDEN</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1000</b>
<b>OLDS</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1000</b>
<b>DIDSURY</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0000</b>
<b>CROSSFIELD</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0000</b>

There are now three home games to be played in the Rosebud League; Crossfield on June 3rd, Didsbury on June 9th, and Olds on June 16th, after which Bowden plays Olds at Olds on their sports day, June 22nd.

**OLDS.**

W J Reed of Baxter Reed & Co arrived in town today.

L L Reed went to Millet, Alta., Wednesday on business.

Olds plays Didsbury at Didsbury Friday 2nd of June at 2:30.

A A Smith was a Bowden visitor Tuesday.

Mrs Jack Harbinson was a Calgary visitor Saturday.

Mr L L Reed of Vancouver is in Olds.

W Bruce and W Gunning were Calgary visitors Saturday.

E B Langdon traded his (Whitley) farm for M S Daly's half section 7 miles west of town.

DIED—Holdane. Mrs James Holdane at their residence on 3rd street east at 6 a.m. June 1st.

Bowden defeated Crossfield 5 to 3 in a league baseball game at Crossfield Tuesday.

On Tuesday May 27 Mrs Lettie Shannon, mother of Robt Shanid, died at her home on the Raven.

We are sorry to announce the death of Dr J R Williams who died at his residence in Olds Monday.

Mr and Mrs G. W Taylor of Calgary spent a few days in Olds this week. Mr Taylor shipped a car of cattle to Castor Monday.

W S Reed traded his 160 acre farm at Delrio, Washington to J H Butts for 480 acres 12 miles N W of Olds Monday.

Mr and Mrs Sherman H Galtney of Garrington are in town. They brought their little child, who has been ailing for some time, to the doctor. It is somewhat better now.

Mr John Lawrence is back from Spokane. Mr Lawrence is an old timer here, but like quite a number of the old timers, didn't know that they were then living in one of the best districts to be found. Mr Lawrence said "If I had only known" but it ain't too late yet John.

**LAKVIEW.** Mr and Mrs W W White were in town on Saturday.

Our new railway town has been named "Perbeck" all right.

Church Service every Sunday at 8 p.m. Sunday School every Sunday 11 a.m.

Coroner Warke and Mrs Warke drove through this district on Friday.

Mr and Mrs Panchot of the Woods Lake district were in town Saturday.

Mr Johnson, a cousin of Mr D Milne is visiting at the Milne residence.

Mr L D Campbell and son Carl, have fenced in their three quarter sections of C P R land. It is substantially fenced.

Councillor Robinson of township 35-24-4 has purchased two wheelbarrows and they are good ones.

Mr A A Hines, road overseer, is making roads like a veteran road builder.

Mr Harris has purchased a valuable farm near his homestead. Sunny Alberta is good enough for him.

Mr Lamb, teacher of Milnerton, was visiting in Lake View over Sunday. He paid our Sunday School a visit and took part in the services.

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Application for a lease must be made to the Agent or sub-agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections and in un-surveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable coal out of the net proceeds of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with monthly statements, monthly, accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever mineral rights may be available in the area, provided the same are not inconsistent with the coal mining rights.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable coal under 2,560 acres of contiguous lands for two years. Application for such right must be made to the Agent. Fee \$100.00. An expenditure at the rate of \$1 an acre per annum, in prospecting by recognized methods, must be incurred.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

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